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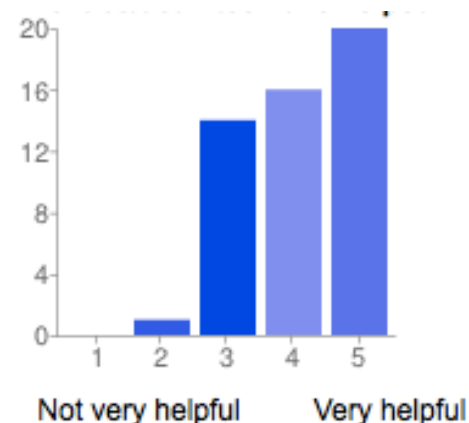
What is ScholarPort?

DIGITAL RESOURCES FOR EFFECTIVE INSTRUCTION IN A BLENDED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

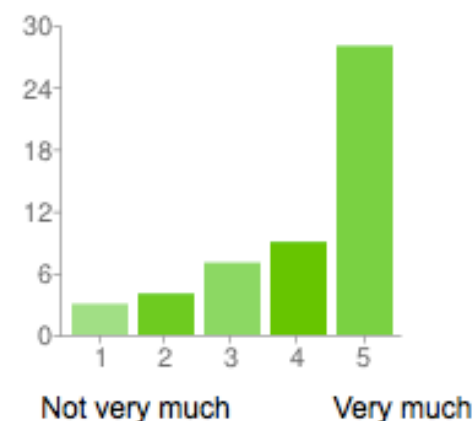
Education is undergoing a drastic transformation. With the influx of digital resources, mobile devices, and emerging technologies, the demand for a comprehensive platform that integrates with curriculum is essential. ScholarPort allows teachers and students to utilize a variety of digital resources compiled and vetted by Pennsylvania teachers. All the content is aligned to the standards. It includes digital flexbooks, animations, simulations, videos, tutorials, related documents and much more. Students, teachers and parents are able to access the resources. Teachers have the ability to tailor the ScholarPort courses to match their district's curriculum and their teaching style. The resources and activities available in Moodle enable the teachers to create a variety of assignments for students to access and complete. ScholarPort courses also allow for the integration of WEB 2.0 tools for student created projects and teacher created curriculum components. Quality professional development is a key component for teachers who will be using ScholarPort. Teachers learn about how to use Moodle effectively and how to shift their teaching to align with 21st century skills. They become part of a powerful PLN that will empower them as they implement this robust tool.

STUDENT SURVEY RESULTS

How helpful are the digital resources in ScholarPort?



How do you like taking tests and quizzes in Moodle?



Read about how ScholarPort is being utilized in a physics classroom in one of the participating districts:
<http://goo.gl/GCCZf>

Visit our demo site to explore ScholarPort.

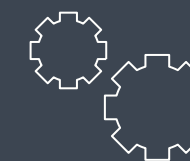


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 Choose ScholarPort demo
 Login as guest
 Password: ScholarPort

Why use ScholarPort?

BENEFITS

- Increases student engagement
- Encourages creativity
- Aggregates and shares resources and expertise
- Achieves cost savings for districts
- Creates a 21st century learning environment
- Developed by content experts in the classroom
- Customizable to fit your district's curriculum
- Allows for differentiation in instruction
- Provides opportunities for Project-Based Learning
- Shifts instructional practices
- Anytime, anywhere access
- Innovative Professional Development



WHAT STUDENTS SAY

"It is easier and more convenient to access links within Moodle that take you right to where you need to be."

"It's easier to understand than just the teacher standing there and talking."



WHAT TEACHERS SAY

"It brings in many more of the resources that we didn't have the opportunity to use before."

"I immediately started thinking of ways to get students to collaborate."

"This ScholarPort pilot program has really enabled me to shift the whole way I teach."

"Students are doing a lot more on their own in terms of thinking and owning their education."



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